



# Santa Ana Unified School District

December 17, 2015

RE: SB 172 and the High School Diploma

Dear Former Santa Ana Unified School District Student:

On October 7, 2015, Governor Brown signed Senate Bill 172, suspending the administration of the California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE) as a condition of receiving a diploma of graduation or a condition of graduation from high school. The bill requires the granting of a diploma of graduation from high school to any pupil who completed grade 12 during the years in which the CAHSEE was in effect, and has met all applicable graduation requirements other than the passage of the high school exit examination.

According to our records, you **may** be eligible to receive the high school diploma. The Santa Ana Unified School District staff is committed to granting the high school diploma to all eligible persons, and is currently in the process of reviewing transcripts to verify that all graduation requirements of the senior year when you were enrolled.

If you have since received your diploma and received this letter in error, please disregard. If you agree that you are eligible to receive the high school diploma, please complete the attached form and submit it either online, or in person to the SAUSD Pupil Support Services Office at 1629 S. Center Street. After the high school transcript is evaluated, and it is determined that you have fulfilled all graduation requirements, you will be notified and mailed the diploma to the address you provide. If you have questions, please call the Pupil Support Services Office at 714 433-3481.

Sincerely,

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School Performance and Culture

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